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SUBMISSION, INCLUDING AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.114

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Sir:

This Amendment is being filed as a Submission in connection with a RCE (Request for Continued Examination), which is further to the filing of the Notice of Appeal on September 4, 2007, and is responsive to the outstanding Final Office Action, dated April 2, 2007. (A RCE Transmittal, along with a Petition for Extension of Time covering the current three month extended time period for filing this submission, and an authorized credit card payment form covering the fee amount directed thereto are enclosed.) Please amend the above-identified application as listed below and as set forth on the following pages:

Amendments to the Claims; and

Remarks are included following the amendments.